

Charity Dance to Open 1955 Social Year at UMD

Opening the social calendar of the new quarter, the Mu Delta Pi pre-medical fraternity and the Student Commission are co-sponsors of a Charity Dance to be held tomorrow night in Old Main Gym following the UMD-Michigan Tech hockey game.

The dance will feature the music of the "Blue Notes," well-known Duluth dance band, and will be either stag or drag with dancing lasting until one a. m.

Unusual Art Show Opened

"Art in Antiquity," one of 12 special exhibitions prepared by the Metropolitan Museum of Art for circulation under auspices of the American Federation of Arts, began Tuesday in UMD's Tweed Gallery, 2531 East Seventh Street.

First showing of the exhibition outside of New York City, the Duluth presentation offers Head of the Lakes region art students and devotees an exceptional opportunity to study ancient art objects, according to Orazio Fumagalli, gallery curator.

"We feel that this exhibit illustrates the unique cultural value of Tweed gallery to northern Minnesota and neighboring points," Mr. Fumagalli noted. "Only because Tweed is an established and recognized gallery are such outstanding exhibitions as this available to us"

For more than 3,000 years before the Christian era, artists and architects built temples and tombs, shaped and painted pottery and fashioned sculpture in stone, wood and metal. Through original examples placed in historical and stylistic relationship, the "Art in Antiquity" exhibition affords a glimpse into the world of antiquity.

The Tweed show will be open for free public viewing during regular gallery hours—1 to 5 p. m. daily except Mondays. It will continue through Sunday, Jan. 23.

Freshmen Plan Double Event

Plans are being completed by the freshmen for their first annual variety show, to be held Jan. 14. The show composed entirely of freshman talent, will feature the ESCORTS and the BLUE NOTES, who will also play for the Sadie Hawkins dance to be held in the gym afterwards. A girl ask boy affair, tickets will sell for 75 cents per couple for both the dance and show. Any person wanting to attend just the show may purchase a ticket for 35 cents. Absolutely no stags will be admitted to the dance. There will be an advance sale of tickets.

The show is scheduled for 8 p. m. with the dance afterwards until 1 a. m. All members of the student body are urged to attend.

Proceeds from the dance will go entirely to charity with the minimum charge of 35 cents established. Larger contributions at the time of ticket purchase will be welcomed. General chairman for the affair, Benjie Goldfarb has asked that all students be generous in their donations.

Tickets may be purchased from any Mu Delta Pi fraternity member and will be on sale at the dance in the booth in center hall, Main.

Expenses for the dance were allocated from the Student Activities Fund by vote of the Student Commission so that all proceeds might go to charity. Members of the Mu Delta Pi fraternity volunteered their time and efforts to help make the dance a success and money-making project for local charities.

Committee chairmen for the dance are Franklin Johnson, decorations; Harry Sarazin, William Otis and Harold Schiebs, publicity; Robert J. Johnson and Larry DeSanto, tickets; Bob Walt, cleanup; Thomas Murphy concessions.

Anna Marie Method, Senior Editor of the CHRONICLE, has announced that today is the deadline for application for graduation pictures to appear in the annual.

All seniors and others graduating with a two, three, or four year degree must turn their names in today, in order to have their picture in the '55 CHRONICLE. Names may be deposited in PO box 1066 or given to Miss Method.

'Recognition of Caliber of UMD Staff,' Darland

Dr. Wood Appointed to UNKRA Post

Noticeably missing from his post as director of the UMD Student Personnel Services, Dr. Chester Wood is preparing to take over as head of educational reconstruction in Korea following his recent appointment. One of the top members of the UMD administration, Dr. Wood had served as director of the OSPS since 1948.

Long active in education in Duluth, Dr. Wood served as the principal at Denfeld High school from 1945 to '48. Prior to that he had been principal of Duluth East since 1939. He was appointed to this educational work in Korea by the United Nation's Korean Reconstruction agency.

John L. Thurston, Washington, D. C., acting chief of UNKRA's American regional office, has announced Dr. Wood's appointment as chief of UNKRA's division of education.

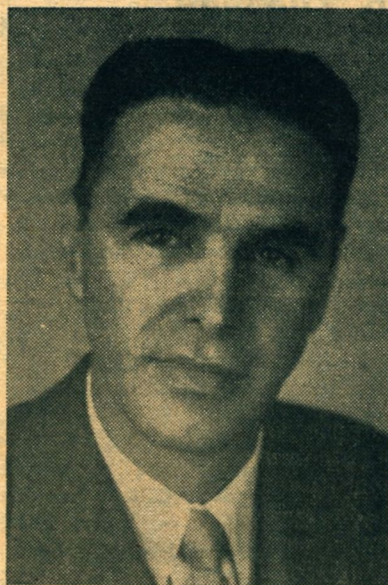
Dr. Wood left his UMD post Jan. 1 for a 10-day orientation visit at UN headquarters in New York and in Washington. He will then proceed to Seoul to begin his duties. Dr. Wood and his staff will work with the Korean ministry of education.

Dr. Raymond W. Darland, UMD provost, expressed regret at losing the services of Dr. Wood during a critical period in Duluth campus development. "It is recognition of the caliber of the UMD staff, however, that Dr. Wood was chosen for this important assignment. I personally feel that in ability and experience the choice could not be better."

Dr. Wood was the U. S. member of an UNESCO commission on education to Peru in 1951-52.

Dr. Wood, upon being granted a leave of absence from his UMD position by the University board of regents in Minneapolis, thanked University officials for permitting him to accept the UNKRA post.

Dr. Wood's family plans to leave for Japan at the end of the current school year. David is a senior in English and speech and Robert, a freshman in pre-medicine, at UMD. They and Mrs. Wood will live in Japan, while Dr. Wood will headquarter in Korea.



DR. CHESTER WOOD

Shimek Announces Prom Theme Convo

Junior class officers Bill Shimek, president, and Jerry Nelson, vice president have announced the next junior class meeting at 11 a. m., next Thursday in the Main Auditorium. The objective of the meeting will be to determine the theme for this year's Junior-Senior Prom.

Already named to committee chairmanships in Prom committee meetings are Clyde Nelson, entertainment; Jock Morrison, publicity; Barbara Laibl and Carol Martin, decorations; Don Fischer, arrangements; Dick Striegl, finance; Benje Goldfarb, tickets; Jim Nygard, concessions; and Gene Gruba, convocations.

Cafeteria 'New-Look' Due To Volunteer Efforts

By DICK GOTTSCHALD

"The new look for '55." "Its just like the Flame annex." "Even the food tastes better."

These were just some of the enthusiastic comments which greeted the remodeled cafeteria Monday morning. It's hard to realize that in only two short weeks the cafeteria has been converted from a dismal smoke-filled basement into its present cheerful and inviting atmosphere.

The new cafeteria had its birth when a student committee comprised of the four class presidents was organized by Ralph Miller to study the problem. The committee took their ideas to the faculty advisors who, realizing the need for remodeling the cafeteria, gave it their wholehearted support.

It was only through the pioneer spirit which prevailed between the students and depart-

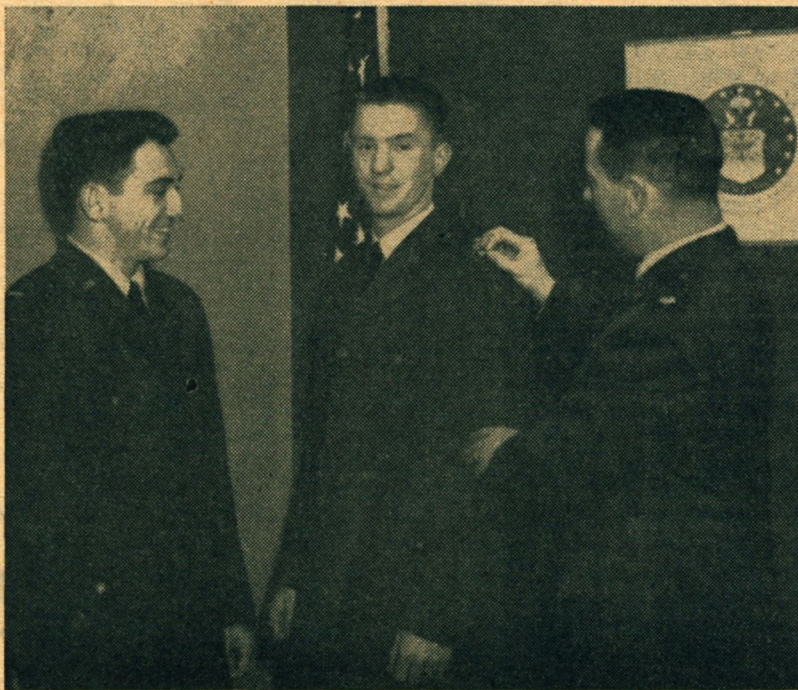
ment heads, who eagerly gave of their time and service, that the remodeling program become a reality.

Mr. Earl Hobe, who was in charge of the financial arrangements, located and purchased the booths which now adorn the east wall. Mr. Robert Wood, of the Art Department, lent his talent in planning the color

— Cafeteria Grand Opening —
Tuesday night at 7:30
Refreshments and dancing

scheme with the students in the Art Department who donated the murals, valued at two hundred dollars each. Mr. Robert Bridges, Senior Engineer directed the maintenance crew through two weeks of painting, and repairing. Mr. Thomas Walton of the Industrial Arts Department even went to the extent of drilling through solid rock to install hangers and drape rods. Meanwhile, students were working and planning right along with the faculty.

The real finishing touch to the "new" cafeteria was the addition of the juke box.



Lt. Colonel Louis J. LaBarre (right) adjusts Virgil Lindquist's new Lieutenant's bars during the recent ROTC commissioning ceremonies as Larry Golberg looks on. Also commissioned, but not pictured, was Leo LaFrance.

Faculty Opens Reading Series At Tweed Hall

A new series of free public reading programs on Wednesday afternoons has begun at UMD. Under the leadership of faculty members of the humanities division, the series is being coordinated by Leonard Wolfe, lecturer in English and an American poet whose own work has appeared in a number of publications in the U. S. and abroad.

Mr. Wolfe presented the first half-hour program Wednesday at Tweed Hall. The next in the weekly series will be given by Dr. Thomas Sturgeon as he reads portraits of women as they appear in Chaucer and T. S. Eliot. Each of the readings will be at 4:15 p. m. on Wednesdays in the Blue Room at Tweed.

Other programs for the future include contemporary poems, selections from the Bible. Shelley, Keats, and many other works less well known.

TENTATIVE SOCIAL CALENDAR

January 8—Charity Dance after Hockey Game
 January 14—Freshman Variety Show, aud., Main 7:30
 Dance following the Show, Old Main Gym.
 January 21—Woodchoppers Dance, Medical Arts Ballroom,
 9 to 12.
 January 28—Rangers Dance.
 February 4—Rangers Dance.
 February 10 11, 12, 13—Play, Beggar on Horseback, aud.,
 8:20 p. m.
 February 18 thru 26—Snow Week—tentative dates.

CONVOS & MOVIES

January 16—Touring the Gaspé & the Algonquin, Sci. aud.,
 2:30
 January 20—Convocation—Davis.
 January 30—Famous Fish I've Met, Sci. Aud., 2:30.
 February 10—Convocation, Per Monsen.
 February 13—Wild Life in Itasca Park, Sci. aud., 2:30.
 February 24—Convocation—Melody Masters.
 March 3—Convocation—Berwick.



Deadline Tuesday

By Harry Hagenbrock

The holidays have come and gone, and so has Will Sweney, originator and writer of *Campus Yarns*. Will passed from the *STATESMAN* staff this past quarter to the promised land of the buck private.

And the problem facing the *STATESMAN* now is to find a replacement for him. Until we do, you, the reader are going to be stuck with me, the writer and editor, for as the saying goes, rank has authority, and from here on through the school year, this just may be the rankiest part of the paper.

Seriously though, I hope to bring to you the news somewhat in the manner in which Will wrote his column. Scattered here and there in the column will be news of the Student Commission, small editorials, and comments in general from myself, the staff, and as the case may be, our beloved printer. Don't look for anything world-shaking to appear, but check for new spelling of words and you English critics can check the column for the latest in sentence structures. We love you too.

First comment is on those subtle cartoons we had in the last issue of the paper. Those huge white spaces that glared at you from underneath the two Bibler cartoons were supposed to contain punch lines. Some unforeseen hand chose to censor them however, hence it is left up to your imaginative minds to conjure up punch lines to match the jokes. Why don't we make a contest out of it? The person who figures out the best lines for the cartoons gets to be guest editor of the *STATESMAN* for the rest of the year.

All is not black or white on the campus though; as a matter of fact, things in the cafeteria are a lot more colorful now that members of the student body and faculty donated their holidays to repaint and furnish the

cafeteria interior. Since the murals are painted in permanent pigments, OSPS has decided that they can stay, which makes everyone happy, especially painters Robert Wood, Dick Wold, George Bogart and shy retiring Dick McDonnell, who pleaded with me not to give him any special credit for his work.

Also aiding in the efforts were Mr. Bridges and a crew of volunteers who freely donated their time, but not their names, for credit. To all of them, along with project chairmen Ralph Miller and Bill Fayling, should go a word of congratulations from the student body for this committee has finally done something about which much has been said but little done for the last few years.

Although the billfold pain from Christmas and tuition time is only a week or so dead, let's see if we can't all dig way down deep and find something a little extra to donate to the Charity dance this Saturday evening. After all, it's for a worthwhile cause, and maybe you can use another little deduction now that income tax time is drawing near. Whatever the case, let's make the Charity dance a night to remember, donation wise that is.

A few reminders to you who might otherwise forget or not know. First of all, don't forget

'Statesman' Introduces Freshman Class Officers; Trio Reveals Rare Talent

By Jackie Rocchio

The frosh of '54-'55 do things in a big way. No mediocre Solons represent this class; they've got one-fourth of a popular male quartet a master of hypnotism, an area-recognized figure skater and a journalist.

By now, few UMDites are unaware of freshman president Dennis Shyrack, who supplies the first tenor in the newly discovered musical sensation on campus, the "Escorts."

Denny and his fellow "Escorts" first brought the frosh in to the limelight with their prize-winning appearance on the Homecoming Variety show. Since that time, Denny has been escorting his class into a prominent position in school government, devoting his time to the Freshman Cabinet, the Student Commission, the Student Center, Cafeteria, Visitation and Orientation commissions.

A '54 graduate Du-

luth Central, Denny is a young man with an extremely pleasing personality and sparkling blue eyes, wherein lies his unusual power, the power to hypnotize. Many an unexpected friend has been overpowered by this lively sparkle in Denny's blue eyes.

He once reversed the well-known teacher student relationship, when he coached his high school speech instructor in the mysteries of hypnotism. After three years of unsuccessful study, the instructor was able to grasp the skill only after an actual demonstration by Denny.

Ever try putting a friend to sleep for a high mark in your finals? Denny found this technique had certain definite advantages, when he effortlessly ordered a classmate to sleep for a final exam demonstration in a speech class here at UMD.

For this interviewer, Denny cleared up a popular misconception

that the "Escorts" have been singing together all through junior and senior high school. Actually, the boys sang in the choir for six years, but didn't actually team up until the latter half of their senior year, and then only for two appearances.

The quartet had never sung "Crazy Bout Cha Baby", the song that copped the prize for them on the Variety show, until the evening before the show. The "Escorts" have had numerous public appearances since the show, on radio, TV, local organizations, the Air Base, and elsewhere.

Denny was a class leader and Thespian at Central and now majors in speech.

Veep Dave McKenna is a busy, sandy-haired young man, who leads his class, directs the make-up of the *CHRONICLE* and spends his evenings working at the "Flame."

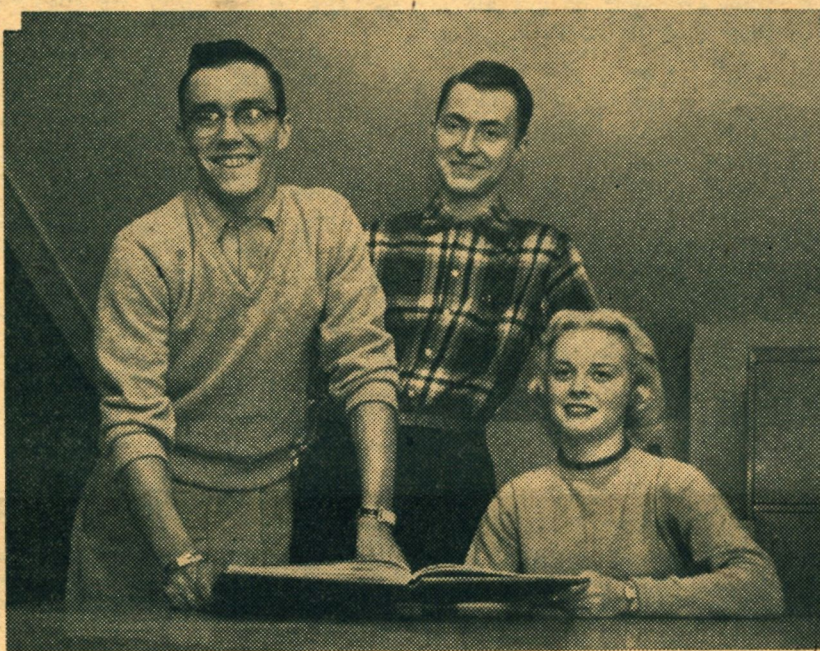
While a student at Denfeld, he devoted much of his time to Boy's club activities, acting and journalism. Dave has always held editorial positions. He was production manager of his high school yearbook, editor of a Red Cross camp newspaper and a recipient of the "Quill and Scroll" award in journalism.

The end of Dave's short break cut our interview off before he could relate further achievements, but I did learn that he is an art enthusiast and hasn't yet decided what field he will enter.

Secretary of the class is petite and blond Susan Sebo, a graduate of East high. Susan is classified as a major undecided and claims to like all of her subjects, but especially music, art, home economics and dramatics.

Duluth ice enthusiasts will recall following the progress of the blond officer in the Duluth Ice Follies for the last 15 years. Susan began her first excursion on ice at the age of two years and has skated herself into the position of master of seven out of eight national tests qualifying accomplished figure skaters. She recently pleased national judges with her mastery of the seventh step, the "Silver" test, and is now working for the highest goal of figure skaters, the "Gold Medal" test.

Susan has also skated in the Hibbing, Fort William and University of Minnesota shows. For three summers she skated in the Rochester ice show and for the last two summers in the east of Denver, Colorado, shows. One of her most prominent appearances was with Ted Brown, National Junior Men's Figure Skating champion.



Freshman class officers pose for *STATESMAN* photographers. The three who represent high schools from the East, West and central part of the city, are: Susan Sebo, sec.; Dave McKenna, vice pres.; Dennis Shyrack, pres.

that the freshmen are putting on a huge Variety Show next weekend. The rumor is that they have real talent. That, quote, is the very best kind, unquote. Last notice is to the juniors who should make a point to attend the Prom convo next Thursday. If you want a voice in selecting the Prom theme, don't miss it.

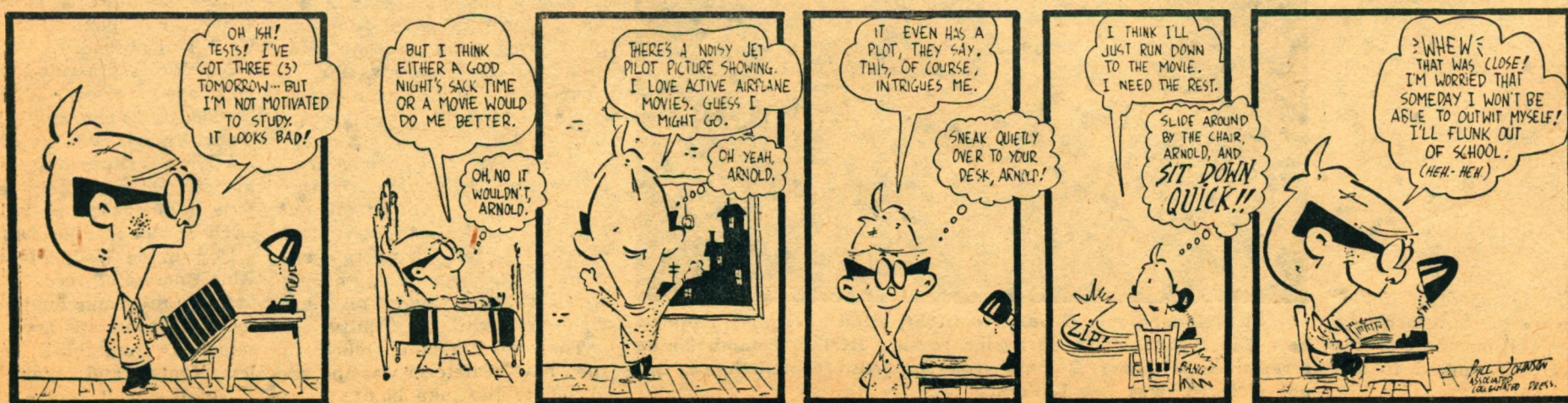
In the line of ancient history, we discovered that there are some archaic rules on the campus books concerning student behavior—all of them obviously obsolete, but none the less interesting. For instance you can't

graze horses on the Torrance hall lawn or trout fish in the Lab school creek. The law which is most obsolete is that funny one about no gambling for money in Washburn hall. Really, how obsolete can you get?

Why not let me know what you readers are thinking about? Drop a few letters to the editor in PO 225, because, after all, it is your right as a citizen and as a student of UMD to express yourself in the *STATESMAN*, besides it means I don't have to write as much. The offer is made in all sincerity, so let's hear from you in the future on anything and everything.

ARNOLD

By Bill Johnson



OFFICIAL WEEKLY BULLETIN

Friday, January 7—Minnesota Methodist Student Movement Conference, Fairmont Methodist Church, Jan. 7-9. Hockey, Michigan Tech., Curling Club, 8:00.

Saturday, January 8—Hockey, Michigan Tech., Curling Club, 8:00. Charity Dance after Hockey Game, Old Main Gym. Basketball, Hamline, There. m. Basketball, Superior, There. Hockey, St. Thomas, There.

Sunday, January 9—Gamma Theta Phi, Wash., 7:00. Sigma Tau Kappa, Main 107, 7:00.

Monday, January 10—Faculty Wives, Tweed Hall, 8:00 p. m.

Tuesday, January 11—WAA General Meeting, FTA Co-Rec Night, Phy. Ed. Bldg., 7:00 p. m. Kappa Delta Pi, Initiation Tea, Tweed, 7:30-9:30 p. m. Basketball, Superior, There. Hockey, St. Thomas, There.

Wednesday, January 12—Non-residents, Washburn, 7:30 p. m. Beta Phi Kappa, small dining room, cafeteria, 5:30. Faculty Poetry Reading, Tweed, blue room, 4:15-4:45. Newman Club, Holy Rosary, 7:30.

Thursday, January 13—Junior Class Meeting, aud., 11:00 a. m. Wesley Foundation, Endion Methodist Church, 5:30. LSA, First Lutheran Church, 5:30. UMD Christian Fellowship, Wash., 7:00-8:00. Hockey, St. John's, There.

Friday, January 14—Freshman Variety Show, aud., 7:30 p. m. Dance following show in Old Main Gym. Basketball, UMD Freshman vs. Ely, Phy. Ed. Bldg., 8:00. Ski Trip, Ski Club.

Saturday, January 15—Basketball, Augsburg, Phy. Ed. Bldg., 8:00. Hockey, Macalester, Curling Club. Ski Trip, Ski Club.

Sunday, January 16—Touring the Gaspé and the Algonquin, aud., Science Bldg. 2:30. Gamma Theta Phi, Wash., 7:00. Sigma Tau Kappa, Main, 7:00. Ski Trip, Ski Club.

The last day for adding of courses will be January 14, 1955. This procedure is initiated in Room 213, Office of Student Personnel Services by filling out a drop-add form.

EXCUSED ABSENCES

The following students participated in the Minnesota Methodist Student Movement Conference, an approved University activity, on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, January 7, 8, and 9, 1955. An excused absence for classes missed during this time is recommended. Kay Tree, Pat Dynneson, Marilyn Pederson, OSPS office, Ruth Fransene, Ruth Ann Sramek, Virginia Hansen, Carol Glecke, Ruth Reed, Beverly Rowe, Mary Slemer, Helen Bowes, Elaine Hubbard, Marcia Davidson, Katie Ure, Lois Lindstrom, Grant Merritt, Bill Williams, Lowell Eckberg, Don Wheat, Dick Puglisi, Don Fischer, Rodger Kemp, Bill Loy, Merrill Loy, Barton Skafte, Bill Griffith Denny England, Bruce Cepek and Ed Gillespie. These students are excused.

In keeping with established University policy, work missed may be made up in accordance with the usual procedure in each department or division. Office of Student Personnel Services.

TEACHER PLACEMENT

Students desiring the assistance of the Placement Bureau during 1955 are asked to register immediately in Room 211, Main. Effective immediately, only those candidates who have completed their placement registration will receive assistance. Candidates who were unable to attend the Fall Quarter orientation sessions on placement, are asked to leave their names with Miss Lindstrom, Placement Secretary. New orientation groups will then be established.

ASSOCIATE-IN-ARTS AND BACHELOR OF ARTS CANDIDATES

Placement orientation discussion groups will be established for those students who plan to complete their degrees before September, 1955. Those students who have not already participated, should leave their names with Miss Lindstrom, Placement Secretary, Room 211, Main. No groups will be organized after January 17. The discussion meetings usually require three to four hours.

E. B. Wenzel, Placement Director, OSPS.

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Klub Kolumn

By Barb and Virginia Laibl

With the unfolding of winter quarter, most organizations are busy making plans for the new year.

Ski Club

As soon as the snow starts falling, there will be Wednesday night skiing at Mont du Lac. Everyone is welcome with free instructions available.

The first ski trip of the season is planned for the weekend of Jan. 22 and 23. For a nominal rate of \$12.50, transportation, lodging and a gala party with plenty of food and otherwise will be provided. Those interested may sign up in the UMD print shop in the basement of Main, or at the Plaza Ski Shop.

Honorary Fraternities

Phi Alpha Theta and Gamma Theta Upsilon fraternities are planning a joint dinner meeting Jan. 22 in the Tally-Ho room of the Holland Hotel at 7 p. m. Tickets sell for \$2.50 and all members are expected to attend.

Officers of Phi Alpha Theta, honorary fraternity, are Ted Kamatos, president; Herb Lumser, vice-president; Bob Seikkula, secretary; Lois Peterson, treasurer. Dr. Maude Lindquist is advisor.

The officers of the honorary geography fraternity, Gamma Theta Upsilon, are Hjalmer Lee, president; Bruce Cepek, vice-president; Katherine LeTournau, secretary-treasurer. Advisors are Dr. Frederick Witzig and Dr. Lyda Belthius.

Delta Beta Gamma

This sorority started out the new quarter with a bowling party last Tuesday night. In the near future, they look forward to a tea for prospective pledges to be announced.

Officers of this sorority are Ruth Ann Sramek, president; Ann Enquist and Dessie Popovich, secretaries; Evelyn Soderberg, treasurer.

Wesley Foundation

This weekend, 29 members of Wesley will attend the Minnesota Methodist Student movement conference, which will be held at Macalester College in St. Paul. The theme is "Christ's Kingdom, Man's Hope," with Dr. Glen Olds of Cornell as the featured speaker.

President of UMD's Wesley organization, Don Fischer, has been elected treasurer of the state council.

'55 Orientation Program Begun; Student Leader Applications Open Jan. 10

During his first quarter in college and particularly during the first two or three days, a freshman usually finds himself hurrying back and forth in a constant state of confusion, worrying about where to go and what to do next. With no organization or advance instruction, registration would soon become a painful and haphazard experience.

Recognizing this problem, a program of orientation was formed at UMD in 1950. This first program was the result of gradual development of orientation lectures, playdays, tests and exams since UMD's first year of existence as a branch of the main university in 1947.

The basic objective of such a program was to help a student acquire a feeling of belonging to the university by supplying him with a well-rounded program of information, social activities, instruction and participation in group activities. Freshmen of this year will verify the success of this plan as they recall "get-acquainted" meetings, camps, mixer-type dances and a picnic, in addition to the more prosaic duties of attending lectures, registration, planning programs and examinations.

The 1954 fall program was the first full scale, planned orientation, making use of 50 to 60 student leaders, thoroughly trained in a spring training program. In evaluating the results of a frosh poll, Walt Musolf, chairman of the Schedule Evaluation committee, found that most incoming students felt the program to be effective and worthwhile. Many called for minor changes, some of them constructive, some of them quite humorous. One of

the most popular activities polled was the free coke and/or coffee hours provided by the student leaders.

A potential of 90 student leaders is needed for next year's fall program.

Any student who wishes to apply for such a position must meet the following requirements:

1. A sincere desire to assist new students in making adjustments to the university.
2. A willingness to take a short training program in the spring quarter.
3. The time and interest to continue working with the group during the entire fall quarter and to be responsible for sponsoring a specified number of students from the group.
4. A 1.0 average or better.

Potential leaders may apply beginning Monday, January 10. Applications may be obtained from Miss Anderson, Miss Harrison or Bob Falk, Room 215. Filing is open to all classes.

The advantages of becoming a student leader are many; in addition to the satisfaction of giving such assistance, there is the added reward of worthwhile addition to a student's record and the opportunity for administrative experience.

An improved program is currently being planned for next year by the Orientation committee, headed by Dennis Ojakangas. Members of the committee are: Walt Musolf, Beatrice Luoma, Don Fisher, Virginia Buus, Pete Thorsteinson, Jackie Rochio, Beverly Rowe, Joyce Lahiti and Darrel Warner. Each member of the committee heads a sub-committee.

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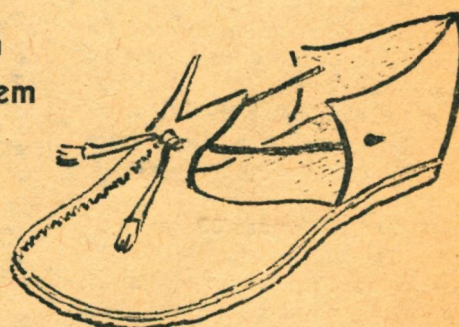
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Bulldog Tales

By Ralph Romano

HOCKEY

Coach Bob Boyat received a crying towel for Christmas. He is not using it, although a lesser man might with good reason. Nothing but nothing has been going right. People, including local newspaper writers, began to associate our good MIAC club with the powers of the Western Conference. When we met North Dakota the inevitable happened; we were defeated by a better hockey team. The attendance at the North Dakota series typified the views of local fans. Only 850 fans attended the final game, a very fine contest. Now comes Michigan Tech and the view by many is that a UMD victory is in the offing. To this reporter, who follows the fortunes of Hockey as well as any one in Duluth, a victory by our Bulldogs would not only be a fine achievement, but on the verge of sensational.

How about a little support and appreciation for the work of Boyat and the UMD team for their stand against such opposition. I feel that this year's squad is superior to last, and will be a power in the MIAC. The fine performance in the second North Dakota tilt showed the spirit of this team so let's pack the Curling club Friday and Saturday and lend our vocal support to the cause. They may surprise you.

While I'm in a fighting mood a word to sport fans on the attendance to basketball games. Attendance has STUNK. When you attend bring along a friend or relative or anybody. The team's been winning and we still are not getting the crowds. Lets get on the ball.

A FAREWELL SALUTE

Defenseman Jim Paton will be playing his last game for this season Saturday against Michigan Tech. Jim, a 205 pound blockbuster from Fort William is ineligible for Conference play due to his transfer status. In the short time he has been a member of the squad, he has captured the support and admiration of fans and players alike. We all look forward to his return next season. Good luck, Jim.

Basketball

Regardless of how UMD fares in the future one thing remains for all to observe — the fine job of assembling that Coach Norm Olson has done. The fine play of Jack McKillop and Dick Veech are tributes to Olson. Both were high school stars who did not live up to expectations last year. Now as sophomores they show signs of future greatness. A student of conditioning he has put student of conditioning he has put together a fast moving hot shooting outfit that threatens to break every record in the book.

St. Johns recently polled the writers close to the MIAC scene to determine opinion on final MIAC standings. Here are the results.

They saw it:	We saw it:
Gustavus	Gustavus
Hamline	Hamline
St. Thomas	UMD
St. Johns	St. Thomas
UMD	St. Johns
St. Marys	St. Marys
Macalester	Macalester
Augsburg	Concordia
Concordia	Augsburg

Cagers Win Three During Vacation

Christmas vacation offered no relaxation to the boys of UMD's basketball team. The Bulldogs from the campus on the hill were kept busy with opposition from four schools and emerged victorious in three.

UMD 74 St. Thomas 69

On December 14, UMD with one conference victory against Concordia already under their belt went after and captured victory number two by beating St. Thomas. Guard Tom Richardson grabbed scoring honors with 21, but Doug Rossi stole the show with stellar defensive play and an 18 point contribution to the scoring. St. Thomas' guard Joe Dufort, a constant nuisance to UMD, scored 21 points.

UMD 85 Emporia 71

Kansas State Teachers of Emporia found the deadeye of Tom Richardson and fade away jump shot of Bob McDonald too much to handle as they bowed to the Bulldogs at the physical education building December 20th. Richardsons' 26 points was high

UMD Invades Hamline Saturday

By DON ROMANO

UMD in the midst of their first round of conference play a headlong into a perennial power Saturday when they travel to St. Paul to engage the Pipers of Hamline University. The Bulldogs will be in search of their first victory against Joe Hutton's boys. They have met nine times, dating back to 1950, and Hamline has emerged victorious on each occasion. Last season they won 83-70 and 81-65 while finishing second to Gustavus in the MIAC final standings.

A sophomore studded lineup with a wealth of depth will be pitted against the battling Bulldogs in a hope to get the Pipers back on the winning track after their unexpected 54-49 loss to St. Johns.

UMD is expected to go with Jack McKillop at center, Bob McDonald and Bob Seikkula at forwards with Tom Richardson

for the night followed by 20 for Joe Stiene, guard for Emporia and McDonald's 18. At halftime UMD led 44-39

UMD 79 Mankato State 81

The Bulldogs came roaring back after trailing 42 to 31 at halftime but the rally fell short as they bowed 81 to 79. The UMD squad outscored their rivals from the floor but could not match the 39 free throws scored by Mankato. Norm Ness with 28 and Metler with 16 kept the teachers the only undefeated team in the state. Bob McDonald with 19 and a 13 point performance by Dick Veech led the Bulldogs.

UMD 89 Northern State of Aberdeen S. D. 66

The following evening, December 30, UMD concluded the series with a decisive victory over Northern State. Big guns for the Bulldogs were Bob McDonald with 23 and Bob Seikkula with 21. The Olsenmen held a commanding 47-31 halftime lead.

Tech Next Puck Foes of UMD

BASKETBALL STATISTICS

8 Games

SCORING

	G	FG	FT	PF	Pts	Avg
B. McDold	8	49	51	16	149	18.6
T. Rich'son	8	44	49	30	137	17.1
B. Seikkula	8	37	21	28	95	11.8
J. McKillop	8	27	27	29	81	10.1
D. Rossi	6	21	13	19	55	9.1
M. Koivisto	8	22	22	21	66	8.2
D. Veech	7	9	12	2	30	4.3
G. Kokal	8	3	13	10	19	2.3
T. Stark	5	3	5	1	11	2.2
J. Ledin	7	7	0	10	14	2.
J. Ferkul	5	3	1	4	7	1.4
J. Kaplan	4	1	2	4	4	1.
R. Solheim	0	0	0	1	0	0

HOCKEY STATISTICS

5 Games

SCORING

	G	A	Pts	Min	Pen
D. Bourdeau	4	3	7	4	
A. Sisto	1	3	4	4	
H. Wallene	2	2	4	0	
G. Schaffer	1	1	2	0	
F. Johnson	1	1	2	2	
D. Bellamy	1	1	2	0	
R. Scott	1	0	1	8	
J. Calengor	1	0	1	2	
H. High	0	1	1	2	
M. Horn	0	1	1	2	
J. Paton	0	0	0	6	
	12	13	25	30	

The UMD hockey Bulldogs get another crack at Western Conference opposition this week as they host the Michigan Tech Huskies from Houghton, Michigan. The Bulldogs and Huskies met three times last season with Tech capturing 6-5, 10-3 and 2-1 decisions.

Coach Al Renfrews squad appears much stronger than last year. Although it is probably the youngest and most inexperienced team in Tech history, it showed its power in capturing a 5-1 decision over Michigan State, a team which holds a decision over North Dakota.

The Bulldogs out to score their first victory over Western Conference opposition will ice a line-up much like the one that faced North Dakota in the final tilt. The new forward combination of Alex Sisto, Don Bourdeau and Frank Johnson will remain intact. Howard Wallene and Jerry Calengor will be joined by either Mike Horn or Gary Schaffer to form another unit. John Mitchell, Harold High and Merlin Holm will probably be the other combination. Defensive chores will be handled by Jim Paton, John Bymark, Ron Scott, Frank Holoppa and Dick Bell-

amy. Duane Johnson will guard the net.

Following the Tech Series the UMD squad travels to St. Paul to begin defense of their MIAC crown against a veteran studded St. Thomas six. Returning Tommies include high scoring John O'Phelan, defenseman Mike Mullin and goaltender Bob Garrett. St. Thomas dropped two early season tilts to Colorado College, one by a 17-0 score. Last season the Bulldogs and Tommies split.

Heavy action continues as the Bulldogs move to Collegeville to play St. Johns. The Johnnies always pose a threat to UMD. Although St. Johns was very weak last season the pucksters had trouble subduing them 3-0 and 3-1. Reports indicate that they are much stronger this season and rate darkhorse consideration.



Ray Jamanski, Michigan Tech's reserve goalie, is expected to see action against the Bulldogs. He hails from Virginia, Minn. Tech will be here January 7 and 8.

UMD Wins 1; Loses 2 in Hockey

UMD 6. Fort Francis 4

UMD's hockey team picked their first victory of the season by stopping Fort Francis JC's 6-4 December 22nd at the Curling club.

The forward line of Don Bourdeau, Jerry Calengor and Howard Wallene picked up four goals, Bourdeau getting two.

Frank Johnson and Gary Schaffer contributed to the scoring column with one goal apiece. Fort Francis' goals were scored by Guy LaFrance 2 and King 2.

UMD 2, U of North Dakota 15

Bill Rickert, Pen Cherski and Souix of North Dakota continued where they had left off one month earlier and walloped UMD 15 to 2 before 1400 fans December 28th at the Curling

club. The speedsters from North Dakota rained a continual onslaught at UMD goalie Duane Johnson as they succeeded in fifteen of their 54 shots past him, six goals going to Rickert and 5 to Cherski. The Bulldogs were by Don Bourdeau and Ron Scott.

UMD 2, U. of North Dakota 9

Coach Bob Boyat in an attempt to harness North Dakota's scoring power sent a reassembled team against the Souix the following night. The experiment worked to some extent, holding North Dakota to 9 goals while his forward threatened at times to set the play on a more even keel. Center Alex Sisto and his wing Don Bourdeau each scored for the Bulldogs. Warnock scored the hat trick for North Dakota and wing Ben Cherski got 2.



Bob McDonald, UMD's forward demonstrates his fade away jump shot which has made him leading conference scorer for the Bulldogs.